NEWS OF THE OLD DOMINION

GREAT ORGAN FOR EXPOSITION

Magnificent Instrument for the Convention Hall Reaches Norfolk.

WILL BE READY FOR OPENING

Chairman Lee of State Board of Fisheries to Have Excellent Exhibit.

NORFOLK, VA., March 27 .- The im mense pipe organ, which is to be used

NORFOLK, VA., March 27.—The immense pipe organ, which is to be used for all official recitals and choruses in the Auditorium and Convention Hall at the Jamestown Tercentenial Exposition, arrived yesterday, and the work of setting up the instrument will begin immediately, as a corps of expert mechanics from the Austin Organ Manufactory, the makers of the instrument, arrived this morning to install the instrument.

The organ, which arrived in two cars, and a large express consignment, will be transferred to wagons and taken to the stage entrance of the auditorium, and from there set upplece by piece, it being estimated that all of three weeks will be required to properly instal and tune it. The instrument will occupy some 650 square feet of space, and has 2,900 pipes. Built on the universal air chest system, the organ contains eight stops on the pedal, eight on the great, fourteen on the choir and seven on the solo organ, together with twenty-three couplers. Judging from the overwhelming number of applications and responses to invitations for recitals, the selection of this splendid instrument by the musical department of the exposition is meeting with the heartlest approval.

At the last rehearsal of the big opening day chorus, held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, additional steps were taken in regard to making the chorus a permanent organization, and Mr. T. Southgate, and Joseph Heicht were elected to the board of trustees.

Mr. W. Macdonald Lee, chairman of the State Board of Fisheries, has about completed arrangements for the fish and oyster exhibit at the Jamestown Exposition, and he is making every effort to make the exhibit the most complete ever made of the fish and oyster shibit at the Jamestown Exposition, and he is making every effort to make the exhibit the most complete organization, and the is making every effort to make the exhibit the most complete organization, and the fish and oyster exhibit at the Jamestown Exposition, and he is making every effort to make the exhibit the most complete ever made of th

MASONS OF BOYDTON.

Congressman Lassiter Makes Address.

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BOYDTON, VA., March 27.—The ceremonies attending the institution and installation of the officers of the new Masonic lodge of Boydton, No. 189, held yesterday in the town hall, was solemn and impressive. There were nearly a hundred Masons present, many of whom were from other lodges, who participated in the installation. D. W. Berger, of Drake's Branch, deputy grand master, presided, and was assisted by Deputy E. L. Haskins, of Falmer's Springs. Before the ceremonies began Hon. Francis Rives Lassiter was introduced, and made a short but graceful address to the Masons, going somewhat into a history of the out gracerul address to the Masons, going somewhat into a history of the Masonic order. The major is very popular here, and received a cordial welcome not only from the Masons, but from the public at large.

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address the installation of the officers began. C. J. Faulkner was installed as worshipful master; C. N. Williams, senior warden; H. F. Hutcheson, junior warden; H. E. Coleman, treasurer; W. E. Carter, secretary; C. T. Reekes, senior deacon; G. C. Anderson; junior deacon; E. W. Wells, steward; W. R. Jones, steward; Revs. E. L. Baptist and E. R. Carter, chaptains; M. P. Watkins, tiler; St. John C. Goode, marshal. The hall was well filled with ladies and gentlemen who had come to witness the ceremonies, as but few of the people here had ever seen a Masonic installation, and they were highly eninstallation, and tertained. There was not a hitch in the proceedings and the scene through-out was imposing, as well as beautiful. At 7 P. M. an elegant banquet was served at the Exchange Hotel, at which

served at the Exchange Hotel, at which there were one hundred and eighteen Masons and twenty-eight ladies present. The menu consisted of stewed oysters, old Virginia country ham, turkey, chicken saiad, pickles, beaten biscult, coffee, ice cream and cake. The table decorations were beautiful, and reflected credit upon the hotel management.

WILL BUILD ROAD.

Stockholders of Accomac Traction and Power Co. Have Meeting

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
ONA.VOCK, VA., March 27.—A
meeting of the stockholders of the
proposed trolley road was held at Tasley this afternoon. Votes, representing
subscriptions amounting to about
\$46,000, were cast. It was determined
to build at present from Onancock to
Accomac Courthouse, via Tasley, with

\$

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the probable extension to Battle Point on Matomkin Bay. The name selected was Accomac Traction and Power Com-pany.

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The Board of Supervisors at their recent meeting established a chaingang. Hereafter prisoners confined in the county jail will be put at work on the county roads.

The work of a number of the Accomac public schools for the Jamestown Exposition was displayed in the main auditorium of the Onancock high school yesterday afternoon. A large number of patrons and others interested attended and the expression of admirration for the excellence was general. One of the noted displays was that made by the Chinoteague high school. Nicely mounted could be seen school. Nicely mounted could be seen the growth of the oyster by the shells school. Nicely mounted could be seen the growth of the oyster by the shells of one month of age; two months, three months, and for each succeding month up to twelve, and then for the years to to and including five years. The life of the clam was shown in the same way, another feature was the plumage of many of the saltwater birds, with each department, was a short, well-written acount or the object treated, the whole furnishing a lesson in history seldom surpassed.

The work of the ...ner schools was of a different nature, and consisted of nature study, accounts of local and historical events; a description of the products of the soil, drawings of maps; histories of places and persons of renown, and other matters connected with home and home events. Much of this work was admirable, and is althe creditable to teachers and pupils. Three-fourths of the work exhibited was done by the pupils of the Onancock high school.

FARMERS BUSY.

Open Weather Sends Hanover Truckers to Fields and Gardens.

(Special to Tields and Cardens, (Special to the Times-Dispatch.)

ROCKVILLE, HANOVER 'CO., VA., March 27.—Rev. F. L. Hardy preached to a large audience in Goochland Baptist Church last Sunday morning. This was the first good Sunday that this congregation has had for its usual preaching day for several months.

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The farmers in this section are quite busy sowing oats, ploughing for corn and planting their gardens.

Mrs. Lillian Snead is quite sick in her home near here.
Misses Mattle Mills, Ola Sims

Mary McGeorge, of Hylas, Va., visited Mrs. R. W. Snead last week.

Misses lola and May Belle Holman, of Chickahominy, Va., visited at Dr. P. Bledsoe's Saturday and Sunday. brother, Frank, who is still quite sick with typhoid fever and whooping cough. Miss Ethel Wiltshire is spending some time with her cousin, Miss Inez Talley,

of Richm Mrs. Pattle Deitrich, of Coal Hill, Va., spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Taylor.

TRAMP BURNED TO DEATH

Body Found in the Ashes of a

Body Found in the Ashes of a Burnt Barn Near Danville.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

DANVILLE, VA. March 27.—An unknown white man met death in a fire, which this morning at about 5 o'clock, destroyed the stables of C. W. King, a furmer of this county. The fire was discovered this county. The fire was discovered this county. The fire was discovered the body of the man was found. The body of the man was found. The features were unrecognizable and there is no clue as to his identity. It is supposed that he was a framp and the form to sleep in the loft. Several sets of harness and a mile were also burned. The residence of Mr. King, was destroyed by fire about a year ago, 118

Evidence Being Taken and the Prisoner Guarded by Military to Prevent Trouble.

LARGE CROWD AT COURT

Intense Interest in the Proceedings, But No Excite-

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] ALEXANDRIA, VA., March 27.-Scorge Midgets, alias William Johnson, colored, was placed on trial for his life in the Corporation Court here this morning, Judge Louis C. Barley presiding, to answer the charge of murdering Charles T. Smith October 20,

presiding, to answer the charge of murdering Charles T. Smith October 20, 1906. The prosecution is being conducted by Attorney Samuel G. Brent, and Mesers. Howard W. Smith and R. D. Brumback, having been assigned by the court, are defending the prisoner. The case will probably be concluded to-morrow.

The prisoner is being closely guarded by the military. Long before the hour set for the trial several hundred people had gathered in front of the courthouse for the purpose of getting a glimpse at the prisoner. The curious, however, were not permitted to entersthe courthouse, and there were many disappointed at the outcome.

After an hour and a half a jury was secured. Midgets, after hearing the indictment charging him with the murder of Smith, arose and in a cool and deliberate manner entered a plea of

deliberate manner entered a plea of not guilty which was audible through-out the big courtroom. Shortly afterward the examination

Shortly afterward the examination of witnesses was begun. So far the testimony elicited varies but little from that which has already been published concening the murder. The impression prevails that the prosecution will have little difficulty in proving that Midgets is the man who killed Smith. A recess was taken shortly before 1 checks and court reconvened at 1 o'clock, and court reconvened at 2 o'clock, when the hearing of testimony was again taken up. The case will probably be concluded to-morrow even-

Midgets appears to be the most calm and collected man in the courtroom and is a very attentive listener. When he was reconveyed by the military to the county jail on Fort Myer Heights Among those assembled around the

JOHNSON'S SECRETARY.

Was Confidential Clerk to Reconstruction President.

BRISTOL, VA., March 27.—Relatives in East Tennessee have received news of the death at Ogden, Utah, a few days ago of Thomas Maloney.

Thomas Maloney was at one time the private secretary to President Andrew Johnson and knew more about the former tailor's business, personal and political, perhaps than any other man. He married Miss Lillie Stover, a grand-daughter of Johnson, and daughter of Colonel Daniel Stover, who died during the Civil War.

the Civil War.

After the death of President Johnson, Mr. Maloney became administrator of the Johnson estate, which he settled to the satisfaction of all concerned. Prior to his close relationship to Johnson, Mr. Maloney had been prominent in the practice of law, having been a member of the firm of Robinson & Maloney, of Geneville.

Eventually Mr. Maloney and his wife, for some unknown reason, became, estranged and separated. He went West, after which his wife procured.

a number of years had nent at the bar in Utah. WELL FOR BROWNLOW.

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BRISTOL, VA., March 27.—If the Worley-White bill, now pending in the lower House of the Tennessee Legislature should be successful, Representative W. P. Brownfow, of the lower House of Congress, would find himself legislated from the First to the Second Tennessee District, while Representative Nathan Hale, of the Second District, would find himself legislated from the First to the First District. To Brownlow, it would mean a gain of from 10,000 to 15,000 votes over the majority he has enoyed in the First District, but to Hale it would mean the loss of the big majority he now has back of him, and his probable defeat by a Democrat, should he again be nominated.

It is said that this measure will certainly be reported favorably by the committee of the lower House, which means that it will probably be successful in that body. Its fate in the Senate may not be so certain, but it is said to have the support of prominent Democrats throughout the State.

The proposed plan of redistricting would divide East Tennessee lengthwise instead of across, as at present, it would place in the Second District all the mountain counties, and in the First District all the valley counties. While the Second District would contain twice the number of counties proposed for the First District, the population, however, owing to the large population of Knowille, and Know county, would be nearly equal in the two districts.

By counties the districts would be made up as follows if the redistricting bill should be successful.

First District—Johnson, Carter, Unicol, Washington, Greene, Cooke

cock Second District—Johnson, Carter, Unicol, Washington, Greene, Cocke, Jefferson, Sevier, Blount, Loudon, Rosne, Scott, Union, Anderson and Campbell.

Two Boys Bitten by Mad Dog. (Special to The Times Dispatch.)

[Special to The Times Dispatch.]

DANVILLE, VA. March 27.—A madding on the plantation of Walter

Grubbs, a farmer of this county, several days ago bit his ten-year old boy,



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has been killed.

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FINE MOTOR CAR OWNERS Several Paid \$20 for Exceeding

Speed Limit. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] NORFOLK, VA., March 27.—In the Police Court to-day the following automobile owners were arraigned before Justice Simmons and fined for vio-lating the city ordinance by exceed-ing the speed limit:
Abbott Morris, N. L. Terwilliger, L. Cunninghand, S. W. Godwin and Ed-ward Rohr. They were fined \$20 and

costs each.
The defendants were served with

city warrants yesterday by Officer Mc-Bride, who has been on the look-out for the violators of the speed law. to ride them, the automobile-owners have not been-violating the law in the thickly settled part of the city, but as soon as they get on Granby Street extended or other distant places, they run their automobiles at the top speed.

The bleycles which the officers ride are equipped with speedometers and the officers ride up behind the automobiles and register the speed at which the automobile is going.

PREACHER ON FIRE.

Town Almost Wiped Off the Map

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by Conflagration.

[Secial to the Times-Dispatch.]
BRISTOL, VA., March 27.—The
mining town of Preacher, in Wise
county, Va., which sustained a loss of
\$30,000 by fire two weeks ago, when
all but four stores. in the place were
destroyed, acording to advices received from there to-day, experienced
another fire, in which two large stores,
those of Green & Young and C. A. Alderson, were wiped out, entailing a
loss of \$15,000. The properties were
only partially insured. Of a dozen
stores only two of the smallest in the
place are left standing.

Sawmill Burns.

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LOCKLIES, VA., March 27.—The sawmill near Mill Creek Wharf, in lower
Middless, owned by J. C. and A. B.
Stiff, was destroyed by fire Sunday
night, March 24th.
The fire originated in a pile of
smoldering outsides and sawdust.
The loss is estimated at several hundred dollars, with no insurance. The
mill will be rebuilt at once.

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OF WHITE WOMAN

Is Arrested and Lawyers Refuse to Represent Him in Court.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

STAUNTON, VA., March 27 .- Much

xcitement has been created over the arrest of John Walker, the negro who entered the room of Mrs. H. M. Paint House, was startled early this morn-ing by this negro pulling at the bed covering, and later selzing her by the ankle. She screamed and the man have been trying to employ counsel to represent him. Mr. Charles Curry, the most prominent criminal lawyer in the State, refused to take the case, which is considered a very grave one. The negroe denies the crime.

ADJUST DIFFERENCES.

Conference Between Shippers and Railway Men at Fredericksburg [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] FREDERICKSBURG, VA., March 27

-At a conference held here between shippers and Hon. H. C. Stuart, of the State Corporation Commission; W. D Duke and W. P. Taylor, of the Rich mond, Fredericksburg and Potoma Railroad, and President Richards and Manager Richards, of the Potomac Fredericksburg and Pledmont Railroad the changed conditions as to the facili-ties for transferring freight between the railroads here was looked into and it was found that the difficulties which existed a short time ago had been adjusted to the satisfaction of

been adjusted to the satisfaction of all parties concerned.

Major W. S. Embrey, P. V. D. Conway and Rev. J. H. Light have gone to Staunton to represent the Methodist church of this city at the annual conference of the Baltimore Conference, Methodist Church, South, now in session in that city.

A Rebekah lodge, known as Starlight Rebekah Lodge, No. 18, with forty-one charter members, has been instituted here by Mrs. Cella Kass, president of the State Rebekah Assembly, assisted by other officers of the State organization. The organization is a popular one with the ladies, and the membership will be largely increased,

HARRIS TRIAL

Man Who Killed Fussell at Glad- \$1.95 Oxford Special Factory Samples, stone Will Be Tried on Friday. Reside to the Timer-Dispatch!
NORWODD, VA., March 27.—The trial of young Harris, of Gladstone, Va., for the shooting of Mr. Fussell at a dance at Gladstone liotel, on February 13th, will begin at Nelson, Courthouse on Friday, March 29th.

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